

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: PARM, NATO  
SUBJECT: NATO DISARMAMENT EXPERTS MEETING APRIL 21-22

REF: STATE 77302

1. WE BELIEVE THE ALLIES WOULD WELCOME NAMING OF  
ACTING ACDA DEPUTY DIRECTOR SLOSS AS HEAD OF US  
DELEGATION, AND PRESENCE OF DEPUTY US CCD REP, AS  
INDICATION OF THE IMPORTANCE AND INTEREST THE US  
ATTACHES TO THE UPCOMING DISARMAMENT EXPERTS MEETING.

2. TO PRESERVE THE EFFECTIVENESS OF THESE CONSULTA-  
TIONS, WE BELIEVE WE SHOULD ENCOURAGE ALLIES TO BE  
REPRESENTED BY THEIR HIGHEST RANKING OFFICIALS  
DEALING FULLTIME WITH DISARMAMENT MATTERS, AS HAS  
GENERALLY BEEN THEIR PRACTICE IN THE PAST. WHILE  
WE RECOGNIZE THAT RUTH AND MISTRAL ARE NOW OF HIGHER  
RANK THROUGH PROMOTION, WE BELIEVE WE SHOULD NOT  
PROMPT SMALLER ALLIES TO SEND OFFICIALS WHOSE  
RANK ENTAILS BROAD RESPONSIBILITIES BEYOND DISARMA-  
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MENT AND WHO WOULD BE DEALING WITH THE ISSUES AT  
THE EXPERTS MEETING ON THE BASIS OF BRIEFS.  
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